

**HISTORY OF
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS IN THE SENATE**

HCR 26, Urging the United States Congress to repeal the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act.

Author: Flynn

Received from House 1690. Read first time 1818. Referred to Committee on Business and Commerce 1818.

HCR 33, In memory of Dr. Barry B. Thompson, The Texas A&M University System chancellor emeritus and Tarleton State University president emeritus.

Author: Sheffield

Senate Sponsor: Estes

Received from House 386. Read and adopted 501. Signed by President 516.

HCR 34, Directing DPS to name the new crime lab in Laredo the Oscar "O. J." Hale Crime Lab.

Author: Raymond

Senate Sponsor: Zaffirini

Received from House 945. Read first time 1123. Referred to Committee on Criminal Justice 1123. Reported favorably 1392. Regular order of business suspended 1540. Read second time 1540. Adopted 1540. Record vote 1540. Signed by President 1593.

HCR 35, Designating the cowboy hat as the official State Hat of Texas.

Author: Farney

Senate Sponsor: Schwertner

Received from House 1469. Read first time 1577. Referred to Committee on Administration 1577. Reported favorably 1676. Removed from Local and Uncontested Calendar 1858. Laid before Senate 2333. Read second time 2333. Adopted 2333. Member(s) vote recorded 2333. Signed by President 3106.

HCR 36, Urging Congress to propose and submit to the states for ratification the Parental Rights Amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

Author: Burkett

Companion document(s): **SCR 6** - Hall

Received from House 2310.

HCR 38, Congratulating the Lufkin/Angelina County Chamber of Commerce on its receipt of five-star accreditation from the U.S. Chamber of Commerce.

Author: Ashby

Senate Sponsor: Nichols

Received from House 386. Read and adopted 695. Signed by President 820.

HCR 43, Designating Dripping Springs as the Wedding Capital of Texas.

Author: Isaac

Senate Sponsor: Campbell

Received from House 333. Read first time 367. Referred to Committee on Administration 367. Reported favorably 817. Laid before Senate 1205. Read second time 1205. Adopted 1205. Member(s) vote recorded 1205. Signed by President 1313.

HCR 44, In memory of U.S. Army Sergeant Gilberto Lopez Sanchez of New Braunfels.

Author: D. Miller

Senate Sponsor: Campbell

Received from House 46. Read and adopted 97. Signed by President 174.

HCR 45, Granting the legislature permission to adjourn for more than three days during the period beginning on Thursday, January 22, 2015, and ending on Monday, January 26, 2015.

Author: Geren

Senate Sponsor: Whitmire

Received from House 46. Laid before Senate 86. Read 87. Adopted 87. Signed by President 127.

HCR 46, Urging Congress to require the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs to provide VA services to incarcerated veterans detained in state hospitals and to consider expanding such services to all incarcerated veterans.

Author: Farias

Senate Sponsor: Rodríguez

Received from House 1261. Read first time 1434. Referred to Committee on Veteran Affairs and Military Installations 1434. Reported favorably 1849. Laid before Senate 2333. Read second time 2333. Adopted 2333. Member(s) vote recorded 2333. Signed by President 3106.

HCR 47, Congratulating San Patricio County Judge Terry Simpson on being named the 2014 Newsmaker of the Year by the *Corpus Christi Caller-Times*.

Author: Lozano

Senate Sponsor: Zaffirini

Received from House 386. Read and adopted 512. Signed by President 552.

HCR 48, Inviting the governor to address a joint session of the legislature on February 17, 2015.

Author: Kuempel

Senate Sponsor: Whitmire

Received from House 89. Laid before Senate 129. Read 129. Adopted 129. Record vote 129. Signed by President 174.

HCR 50, Granting the legislature permission to adjourn for more than three days during the period beginning on Thursday, January 29, 2015, and ending on Monday, February 2, 2015.

Author: Simpson

Senate Sponsor: Whitmire

Received from House 144. Laid before Senate 144. Read 144. Adopted 144. Record vote 144. Signed by President 180.

HCR 52, Authorizing the State Preservation Board, subject to state law and rules of the board, to approve and permit the relocation of the Texas Game Warden Memorial to a site at the State Capitol, south of the Sam Houston Building, just outside of the historical grounds.

Author: Guillen

Received from House 1963. Read first time 2023. Referred to Committee on Administration 2023.

HCR 53, Inviting the chief justice of the Supreme Court of Texas to address a joint session of the legislature on February 18, 2015.

Author: Landgraf

Senate Sponsor: Whitmire

Received from House 169. Laid before Senate 192. Read 192. Adopted 192. Record vote 192. Signed by President 219.

HCR 55, Granting the legislature permission to adjourn for more than three days during the period beginning on Thursday, February 5, 2015, and ending on Monday, February 9, 2015.

Author: Simpson

Received from House 181.

HCR 56, Authorizing the lieutenant governor and speaker to appoint interim joint committees.

Author: Geren

Senate Sponsor: Hancock

Received from House 1350. Read first time 1434. Referred to Committee on Administration 1434. Posting rule suspended 1542. Reported favorably 1585. Laid before Senate 1734. Read second time 1734. Adopted 1734. Member(s) vote recorded 1734. Signed by President 1897.

HCR 58, Commemorating the life of Charlie Brown.

Author: D. Bonnen

Senate Sponsor: Huffman

Received from House 274. Laid before Senate 277. Read 278. Adopted 278. Signed by President 320.

HCR 60, Honoring the Garza family of Peñitas for their record of accomplishments in higher education.

Author: Longoria

Senate Sponsor: Hinojosa

Received from House 386. Read and adopted 549. Signed by President 642.

HCR 62, Designating Nocona as the official Classic Car Capital of Texas for a 10-year period beginning in 2015.

Author: Springer

Senate Sponsor: Estes

Received from House 1262. Read first time 1337. Referred to Committee on Administration 1337. Reported favorably 1849. Laid before Senate 2333. Read second time 2333. Adopted 2333. Member(s) vote recorded 2333. Signed by President 3106.

HCR 65, Designating the western honey bee as the official State Pollinator of Texas.

Author: Naishtat

Senate Sponsor: Lucio

Received from House 1350. Read first time 1434. Referred to Committee on Administration 1434. Reported favorably 1585. Laid before Senate 1734. Read second time 1734. Adopted 1734. Member(s) vote recorded 1734. Signed by President 1897.

HCR 66, Declaring Israel a major strategic ally of Texas.

Author: Simmons

Received from House 1557. Read first time 1610. Referred to Committee on State Affairs 1610.

HCR 69, Designating the city of Jasper as the official Butterfly Capital of Texas.

Author: J. White

Senate Sponsor: Nichols

Received from House 1350. Read first time 1434. Referred to Committee on Administration 1434. Posting rule suspended 1542. Reported favorably 1585. Laid before Senate 1734. Read second time 1734. Adopted 1734. Member(s) vote recorded 1734. Signed by President 1897.

HCR 70, Authorizing the State Preservation Board to approve and permit the construction of a monument at the state Capitol Complex, at a site outside the historic Capitol grounds, honoring veterans of the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan.

Author: Flynn

Senate Sponsor: L. Taylor

Companion document(s): **SCR 24** - L. Taylor

Received from House 1351. Read first time 1434. Referred to Committee on Administration 1434. Posting rule suspended 1542. Reported favorably 1585. Laid before Senate 1734. Read second time 1734. Adopted 1734. Member(s) vote recorded 1734. Signed by President 1897.

HCR 72, Requesting the lieutenant governor and speaker to provide for a joint interim study regarding economic development in the Texas coastal region.

Author: Lozano

Received from House 1351. Read first time 1577. Referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Economic Development 1577.

HCR 74, Directing the Texas Water Development Board and the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality to support the creation of a model water recycling project in an appropriate location.

Author: Y. Davis

Received from House 1690. Read first time 1818. Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Water, and Rural Affairs 1818.

HCR 75, Encouraging the State Preservation Board and the director of the Bullock Texas State History Museum to establish a museum of Texas music history as a permanent and integral program within the Bullock Museum.

Author: S. Thompson

Received from House 1860. Read first time 2023. Referred to Committee on Administration 2023.

HCR 76, Designating Poteet as the official Strawberry Capital of Texas for a 10-year period beginning in 2015.

Author: Guillen

Senate Sponsor: Uresti

Received from House 1262. Read first time 1337. Referred to Committee on Administration 1337. Reported favorably 1849. Laid before Senate 2333. Read second time 2333. Adopted 2333. Member(s) vote recorded 2333. Signed by President 3106.

HCR 77, Redesignating Jim Hogg County as the official Vaquero Capital of Texas.

Author: Guillen

Senate Sponsor: Zaffirini

Received from House 1351. Read first time 1434. Referred to Committee on Administration 1434. Reported favorably 1849. Laid before Senate 2333. Read second time 2333. Adopted 2333. Member(s) vote recorded 2333. Signed by President 3106.

HCR 78, Designating "the Lone Star State" as the official nickname of Texas.

Author: Guillen

Senate Sponsor: Huffines

Received from House 1351. Read first time 1434. Referred to Committee on Administration 1434. Reported favorably 1849. Laid before Senate 2437. Read second time 2437. Adopted 2437. Member(s) vote recorded 2437. Signed by President 3504.

HCR 79, Recognizing musician Phil Collins as an honorary Texan and commending him for his donation of Alamo artifacts to the State of Texas.

Author: Larson

Senate Sponsor: Menéndez

Received from House 374. Laid before Senate 374. Read 375. Adopted 375. Member(s) vote recorded 375. Signed by President 387.

HCR 80, Petitioning Congress to provide funding for repairs to the Battleship Texas.

Author: Peña

Senate Sponsor: Estes

Received from House 1262. Read first time 1337. Referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Economic Development 1337. Reported favorably 1625. Laid before Senate 1858. Read second time 1858. Adopted 1858. Member(s) vote recorded 1858. Signed by President 2028.

HCR 81, Expressing support for the placement of a monument to Lorenzo de Zavala on the grounds of the Texas State Library and Archives Commission building.

Author: Peña

Senate Sponsor: Uresti

Received from House 1262. Read first time 1624. Referred to Committee on Administration 1624. Reported favorably 1849. Laid before Senate 2333. Read second time 2333. Adopted 2333. Member(s) vote recorded 2333. Signed by President 3106.

HCR 84, Commending mental health professionals on the occasion of National Mental Health Month.

Author: Clardy

Senate Sponsor: Nichols

Received from House 1103. Read and adopted 1302. Signed by President 1313.

HCR 85, Directing the governor of the State of Texas to posthumously award the Texas Legislative Medal of Honor to Chief Petty Officer Christopher Scott Kyle.

Author: Wray

Senate Sponsor: Birdwell

Received from House 1557. Read first time 1610. Referred to Committee on Veteran Affairs and Military Installations 1610. Reported favorably 1849. Laid before Senate 2333. Read second time 2333. Adopted 2333. Member(s) vote recorded 2333. Signed by President 3106.

HCR 86, In memory of Amarillo City Council member James Harold Simms.

Author: Smithee

Senate Sponsor: Seliger

Received from House 618. Read and adopted 694. Signed by President 771.

HCR 87, In memory of Gene Earl Parker of Amarillo.

Author: Smithee

Senate Sponsor: Seliger

Received from House 618. Read and adopted 694. Signed by President 771.

HCR 88, In memory of El Paso Constable Robert Parker White.

Author: Moody

Senate Sponsor: Rodríguez

Received from House 618. Read and adopted 1248. Signed by President 1313.

HCR 90, Requesting the speaker and lieutenant governor to create a joint interim committee to study seawater desalination on the Texas coast.

Author: Hunter

Received from House 1690. Read first time 1742. Referred to Committee on Administration 1742.

HCR 92, Congratulating Dr. Stephen C. Head on his appointment as president of the Lone Star College System.

Author: Harless

Senate Sponsor: Creighton

Received from House 674. Read and adopted 708. Signed by President 820.

HCR 93, Designating Abilene as the official Storybook Capital of Texas.

Author: S. King

Senate Sponsor: Fraser

Companion document(s): **SCR 38** - Fraser

Received from House 1262. Read first time 1337. Referred to Committee on Administration 1337. Reported favorably 1849. Laid before Senate 2333. Read second time 2333. Adopted 2333. Member(s) vote recorded 2333. Signed by President 3106.

HCR 94, Urging the U.S. Congress to designate the Chisholm Trail and the Great Western Trail as National Historic Trails.

Author: Springer

Senate Sponsor: Estes

Received from House 1262. Read first time 1337. Referred to Committee on Administration 1337. Posting rule suspended 1781. Reported favorably 1849. Laid before Senate 2333. Read second time 2333. Adopted 2333. Member(s) vote recorded 2333. Signed by President 3106.

HCR 95, In memory of Roy Houston Moore of Austin.

Author: Geren

Senate Sponsor: Fraser

Received from House 1351. Read first time 1536. Referred to Committee on Administration 1536. Posting rule suspended 1542. Reported favorably 1676. Laid before Senate 1858. Read second time 1858. Adopted 1858. Member(s) vote recorded 1858. Signed by President 2028.

HCR 96, Requesting the speaker of the house of representatives and the lieutenant governor to create a joint interim committee to study the issue of advertising public notices.

Author: Hunter

Senate Sponsor: Hancock

Co-sponsor(s): Burton

Received from House 1690. Read first time 1742. Referred to Committee on Administration 1742. Posting rule suspended 2155. Reported favorably 2404. Laid before Senate 2437. Read second time 2437. Adopted 2437. Member(s) vote recorded 2437. Co-sponsor(s) authorized 2659. Signed by President 3504.

HCR 99, In memory of David Michael Braun of Nassau Bay.

Author: Paul

Senate Sponsor: L. Taylor

Received from House 744. Read and adopted 1056. Signed by President 1104.

HCR 100, Commemorating the centennial of the King Ranch Main House.

Author: Lozano

Senate Sponsor: Lucio

Companion document(s): **SCR 15** - Lucio

Received from House 318. Read and adopted 512. Signed by President 552.

HCR 103, Recognizing April as Autism Awareness Month in Texas.

Author: Simmons

Companion document(s): **SCR 28** - Lucio

Received from House 744.

HCR 104, Designating #txlege as the official hashtag of the Texas Legislature.

Author: Sheets

Senate Sponsor: Huffines

Received from House 1469. Read first time 1536. Referred to Committee on Administration 1536. Posting rule suspended 1542. Reported favorably 1849. Laid before Senate 2437. Read second time 2437. Adopted 2437. Member(s) vote recorded 2437. Signed by President 3504.

HCR 105, Designating #Texas as the official hashtag of Texas.

Author: Sheets

Senate Sponsor: Huffines

Received from House 1469. Read first time 1501. Referred to Committee on Administration 1501. Reported favorably 1849. Laid before Senate 2437. Read second time 2437. Adopted 2437. Member(s) vote recorded 2437. Signed by President 3504.

HCR 106, Designating #TexasToDo as the official state hashtag of Texas Tourism.

Author: Sheets

Senate Sponsor: Huffines

Received from House 1469. Read first time 1501. Referred to Committee on Administration 1501. Reported favorably 1849. Laid before Senate 2438. Read second time 2438. Adopted 2438. Member(s) vote recorded 2438. Signed by President 3504.

HCR 107, Requesting the lieutenant governor and the speaker of the house of representatives to create a joint interim committee to study human trafficking in Texas.

Author: Hunter

Received from House 1690. Read first time 1742. Referred to Committee on Administration 1742.

HCR 108, Requesting the lieutenant governor and the speaker to create a joint interim committee to study the development and potential economic impact of a cruise industry on the Texas coast between Calhoun and Cameron Counties.

Author: Hunter

Senate Sponsor: Lucio

Received from House 1632. Read first time 1674. Referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Economic Development 1674. Posting rule suspended 1782. Reported favorably 1944. Regular order of business suspended 2017. Record vote 2017. Read second time 2017. Adopted 2017. Record vote 2017. Signed by President 2559.

HCR 110, Recognizing May 2015 as Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Month.

Author: G. Bonnen

Senate Sponsor: L. Taylor

Received from House 1351. Read and adopted 1848. Signed by President 2028.

HCR 111, Urging Hidalgo County to reduce its tax rate upon establishment of the Hidalgo County Healthcare District.

Author: Guerra

Senate Sponsor: Hinojosa

Received from House 1632. Read first time 1674. Referred to Committee on Intergovernmental Relations 1674. Reported favorably 2163.

HCR 114, Recognizing the Operation Blue Shield initiative.

Author: Johnson

Senate Sponsor: West

Received from House 1469. Laid before Senate 1510. Read 1511. Adopted 1511. Member(s) vote recorded 1511. Signed by President 1593.

HCR 116, Paying tribute to the memory of Thomas J. Lee, the first Asian American to serve in the Texas Legislature.

Author: Wu

Senate Sponsor: Menéndez

Received from House 1378. Read and adopted 1504. Signed by President 1537.

HCR 118, In memory of former Hidalgo County Commissioner Oscar L. Garza Jr. of Edinburg.

Author: Canales

Senate Sponsor: Hinojosa

Received from House 3495. Read and adopted 3591. Signed by President 3626.

- HCR 119**, Designating September as Valley Voter Awareness Month for a 10-year period beginning in 2015.
Author: Muñoz
Senate Sponsor: Hinojosa
Received from House 1963. Read first time 2023. Referred to Committee on Administration 2023. Posting rule suspended 2155. Reported favorably 2404. Laid before Senate 2438. Read second time 2438. Adopted 2438. Member(s) vote recorded 2438. Signed by President 3504.
- HCR 121**, Congratulating Hennessey Performance in Sealy on setting a world speed record with its Venom GT.
Author: Wu
Senate Sponsor: Kolkhorst
Received from House 1632. Read and adopted 1786. Signed by President 1897.
- HCR 122**, Designating the Texas Gulf shrimp as the Official State Crustacean of Texas.
Author: Faircloth
Senate Sponsor: L. Taylor
Received from House 1963. Read first time 2023. Referred to Committee on Administration 2023. Posting rule suspended 2155. Reported favorably 2404. Laid before Senate 2438. Read second time 2438. Adopted 2438. Member(s) vote recorded 2438. Signed by President 3504.
- HCR 126**, Honoring former Midland mayor Ernest Angelo Jr. for his civic contributions and professional accomplishments.
Author: Craddick
Senate Sponsor: Seliger
Received from House 3617. Signed by President 3642. Read and adopted 3643.
- HCR 127**, Commemorating the 20th anniversary of the Westchase District in Houston.
Author: Wu
Senate Sponsor: Huffman
Received from House 1805. Read and adopted 1848. Signed by President 2028.
- HCR 128**, Honoring Shanna Peeples on her selection as National Teacher of the Year.
Author: Price
Senate Sponsor: Seliger
Received from House 2851. Read and adopted 3102. Signed by President 3504.
- HCR 129**, Paying tribute to the U.S. military personnel from Texas who lost their lives in the line of duty.
Author: S. King
Senate Sponsor: Campbell
Received from House 1737. Read and adopted 1847. Signed by President 1897.
- HCR 130**, Designating May 26 as John Wayne Day for a 10-year period beginning in 2015.
Author: Parker
Senate Sponsor: Nichols
Received from House 2310. Read and adopted 2337. Signed by President 3106.

HCR 132, Designating Brownsville as the official Bicycling Capital of the Rio Grande Valley for a 10-year period beginning in 2015.

Author: Lucio III

Senate Sponsor: Lucio

Received from House 3495. Signed by President 3642. Read and adopted 3643.

HCR 134, Instructing the enrolling clerk of the house to make corrections in H.B. No. 3078.

Author: Darby

Senate Sponsor: Seliger

Received from House 2004. Laid before Senate 3508. Read 3509. Adopted 3509.

Record vote 3509. Signed by President 3624.

HCR 135, In memory of U.S. Army Specialist Kerry Danyluk.

Author: Morrison

Senate Sponsor: Kolkhorst

Received from House 3495. Read and adopted 3591. Signed by President 3626.

HCR 136, Honoring Conquer Chiari for its efforts in behalf of those with Chiari malformation.

Author: Smithee

Senate Sponsor: Seliger

Received from House 2863. Read and adopted 3439. Signed by President 3504.

HCR 137, In memory of the Honorable Leo Berman of Tyler.

Author: Hughes

Senate Sponsor: Eltife

Received from House 3392. Read and adopted 3591. Signed by President 3624.

HCR 138, Instructing the enrolling clerk of the house to make corrections in H.B. No. 1919.

Author: Phillips

Senate Sponsor: Estes

Received from House 2851. Laid before Senate 3616. Read 3616. Adopted 3616.

Record vote 3616. Signed by President 3626.

HCR 139, Instructing the enrolling clerk of the house to make corrections in H.B. No. 30.

Author: Larson

Senate Sponsor: Perry

Received from House 2863. Laid before Senate 3508. Read 3508. Adopted 3508.

Record vote 3508. Signed by President 3624.

HCR 141, Recalling H.B. No. 2187 from the Senate for further consideration.

Author: Smith

Senate Sponsor: L. Taylor

Received from House 3137. Laid before Senate 3139. Read 3139. Adopted 3139.

Record vote 3139. Signed by President 3504.

HCR 142, Recalling H.B. No. 1926 from the Senate for further consideration.

Author: Kacal

Senate Sponsor: Fraser

Received from House 3393. Laid before Senate 3509. Read 3509. Adopted 3509.

Record vote 3509. Signed by President 3624.

- HCR 143**, Instructing the enrolling clerk of the house to make corrections in H.B. No. 32.
Author: D. Bonnen
Senate Sponsor: Nelson
Received from House 3599. Laid before Senate 3616. Read 3617. Adopted 3617.
Record vote 3617. Signed by President 3626.
- HCR 144**, Instructing the enrolling clerk of the House to make corrections in H.B. No. 2404.
Author: R. Anderson
Senate Sponsor: Eltife
Received from House 3509. Laid before Senate 3617. Read 3617. Adopted 3617.
Record vote 3617. Signed by President 3626.
- HCR 145**, Recognizing the secretary of the army for the work on the Amistad International Reservoir and the effort to continue to find funds to carry out work related to Section 4006 of the Water Resources Reform and Development Act of 2014.
Author: Nevárez
Senate Sponsor: Uresti
Received from House 3600. Rules suspended 3641. Member(s) vote recorded 3641.
Laid before Senate 3641. Read 3642. Adopted 3642. Record vote 3642. Signed by President 3642.
- HCR 146**, Congratulating Charles and Margaret Semple of Midland on their 50th wedding anniversary.
Author: Craddick
Senate Sponsor: Seliger
Received from House 3617. Signed by President 3642. Read and adopted 3643.
- HCR 147**, Instructing the enrolling clerk of the house to make corrections in H.B. No. 3184.
Author: Keough
Senate Sponsor: Menéndez
Received from House 3618. Laid before Senate 3621. Read 3621. Adopted 3621.
Record vote 3621. Signed by President 3642.
- HCR 149**, Instructing the enrolling clerk of the house to make corrections in H.B. No. 3405.
Author: Isaac
Senate Sponsor: Campbell
Received from House 3639. Laid before Senate 3640. Read 3641. Adopted 3641.
Record vote 3641. Signed by President 3642.

